

## OFFICERS TAKE NO REST TODAY IN DEATH PROBE

District Attorney Wades Through Tangled Clues Seeking Slayer.

## TAYLOR CASE Baffles

Woman Gives "Dream" Tip of Fair Haired Woman As Guilty Party.

(By the Associated Press)  
LOS ANGELES, Feb. 13.—Mary Miles Minter, motion picture actress, issued a statement here today through her attorneys declaring that she had told investigators "all she knew" of the life of William Desmond Taylor, motion picture director slain mysteriously 12 days ago. She said she could not conceive how any person could voluntarily wrong Taylor.

"There is no personal or financial sacrifice that I would not gladly make to bring the slayers of William Desmond Taylor to justice," said the statement.

"Mr. Taylor was one of my best friends. His death was a shock to me."

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 13.—Investigation by the district attorney's office into the William Desmond Taylor murder mystery will proceed today, although it is a legal holiday, according to a statement made shortly after midnight by Thomas Lee Woolwine, district attorney.

He said he was uncertain what form the investigation would take but thought it unlikely that he would summons to his office any motion picture stars or others. He thought it more probable, he stated, that the detectives would investigate any available leads and that witnesses would be summoned only when the preliminary work of the officials indicate some discovery of more than usual importance.

This latter course would place the detectives of the police department again on the theory that the finding of Edward F. Sands, missing former butler-secretary to Taylor, was essential to a solution of the enigma, and those of the sheriff's office on their diametrical opposite contention that Sands had nothing to do with the slaying.

While the police detectives and the sheriff's deputies have not acknowledged defeat they will admit the case is one of the most bewildering ever to come to their attention. Days have passed since the discovery of Taylor's body and officials assigned to the mystery have worked with less than their ordinary sleep and under unusual pressure in tracking down what seems to be tangible clues and in investigating almost innumerable tips.

A sample of some of the "tips" sent to the officials is the following, from a letter in what is deemed a woman's hand writing.

"I dreamed last night that Mr. Taylor was killed by a fair haired woman, with a hooked nose. Find that woman and you have the murderer."

There is "a grave and serious doubt at the present time as to whether the murderer of Taylor will ever be apprehended," declared Mr. Woolwine early today.

He made this declaration in a statement he issued, deploring what he termed a "faked and fraudulent interview" on the case, and particularly one purported to have come from him and printed in the earlier edition of the Examiner for Monday morning.

## UNCLE OF DAUGHTERY DIES IN SPRINGFIELD

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Feb. 13.—Albert augherty, 77, an uncle of Attorney General M. F. Daugherty, died at his home here late yesterday of heart failure.

## SOLDIER KILLED IN BATTLE WITH EAGLE

SANTIAGO, Chile, Feb. 13.—A story of a soldier's fatal clash with a huge eagle in a mountain pass near Los Andes last Saturday is told by the newspapers here. The soldier shot the eagle and, thinking he had killed it, approached. But the bird had only suffered a broken wing and furiously attacked him.

In the struggle which followed the eagle's claws clutched the trigger of the soldier's gun, which was discharged, the bullet entering the man's body. He died in the arms of his companions, who took his body, and also the wounded eagle, to Los Andes.

## DENBY ASKS FOR CUT IN NATION'S NAVAL STRENGTH

(By the Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Secretary Denby appeared before the house naval committee today to recommend that the naval personnel for the next fiscal year be fixed at 90,000 men and 6,000 apprentices, as compared with 100,000 men and 6,000 apprentices now authorized.

Mr. Denby recommended that there be no reduction in the existing staff of the naval academy, and that the first class be graduated and commissioned, but that apprentices at the academy hereafter be reduced to three from each member of congress instead of five.

The naval head recommended that 100 destroyers be put out of commission. He estimated that the program he outlined would affect a saving of \$70,000,000 in the next year's budget.

## CO. ATTORNEY TO STATE HOSPITAL

Wadlington Breaks Down Under Heavy Strain of Official Duties.

County Attorney Wayne Wadlington left Ada today, over the charge of Sheriff Bob Duncan, Deputy J. B. Chapman, Former County Attorney Robert Wimble, and two of Wadlington's relatives, Fred Horner and Fred Pritchard, of Bogata, Texas, for the Oklahoma State Hospital at Norman to recuperate from nervous breakdown.

The party left here shortly after noon and probably will reach its destination late in the day. Worries over the political situation and the stress of a hard season in the courts in which he participated vigorously as a prosecutor are said to have been contributing causes of his collapse. Mr. Wadlington had been absent from his office for several days suffering from nervous disorders brought on by his close confinement to office duties and by devoted application to civic enterprises with which he was connected.

No temporary successor had been appointed today to fill the county attorney's office which will be in charge of Assistant County Attorney Hugh F. Mathis.

A report from physicians at the state hospital is expected in a few days and this doubtless will reveal his exact condition.

Wadlington was well known in county bar circles even before his election as county attorney three years ago. He has led the prosecution in some of the biggest criminal cases that have been listed on the local district court docket in recent years. He was also a leader in church enterprises.

## FIRST NATIONAL SORORITY OPENS CHAPTER IN ADA

The first chapter of a national educational sorority to enter the East Central Teachers College was installed this week-end when Alpha Sigma sorority of the local college was installed as Upsilon Chapter. Mrs. L. M. Leonard of Columbus, Ohio, national business manager, and Miss Edna Conway of Tuberosa, N. M., editor, were national representatives at the initiation, having arrived here last week for this work.

A large number of young lady students of the local college were initiated yesterday. These young ladies are among the leaders of the school and take part in all social, educational and business matters of the student body. Officers were also elected following the initiation and will be installed at a tea to be given by the chapter this afternoon. A business meeting is also to be held at this time.

Young ladies initiated are: Sammie Bentley, Mae Burdick, Ruth Bogan, Ruth Mount, Nellie Kerns, Mary Clayton, Madeline Cramble, Roberta Allen, Catherine Griffith, Lois Gabel, Luceta Burris, Frances Case, Clarine Roach, Donna Belle Lee, Grace Harrison, Callie Brisk, Sylvia Catron, Hazel Morse, Lilly Clayton, Elizabeth Clayton, Verla Cobb, Flossie Summers, Flora Summers, Thelma Tidwell, Ora Ewing, Vivian Burris, Millie Capshaw, and Bess Roberts.

Reed Loving Watt, faculty member of the institution, was a member of Xi Chapter at Alva, Okla., and Mrs. C. C. Morris, a member of Sigma Phi Chapter of Jackson, Tenn., were also accepted as members of Upsilon chapter.

Officers elected were: Bess Roberts, president; Donna Belle Lee, vice-president; Verla Cobb, treasurer; Sylvia Catron, corresponding secretary; Flora Summers, recording secretary; Frances Case, sentinel; Ora Ewing, keeper of grades; Ruth Mount, triangle business manager.

## OKLAHOMA WEATHER.

Tonight, fair, rising temperature in west and central portion Tuesday fair rising temperature.

## Their Friendly Notes are Included in Letters of Murdered Movie Director



Affectionate notes, said to have been written to Taylor by Blanche Sweet and Gloria Swanson, two of the many noted movie stars he numbered among his friends, were found among the effects of William Desmond Taylor, famous movie director whose mysterious death is still baffling police. The contents of the love missives found in Taylor's possession have been read carefully by the authorities. Letters from many other stars were found.

## ULSTER AFFAIR IS TENSE TODAY

Killing of Four Constables Disturbs Quiet Course of Negotiations.

(By the Associated Press)  
LONDON, Feb. 13.—The situation in Ireland which had seemed to be improving under the apparent efforts of Arthur Griffith and Michael Collins to obtain the release of the kidnapped Ulster men, has become acutely dangerous, as the result of the Clones affair on Saturday.

The Times Dublin correspondent says dismay followed the news of the clash, in which 4 special Ulster constables were killed, eight wounded and six made prisoners, and the leader of the Sinn Feiners, Matthew Fitzgibbon, shot dead. The provisional government was perturbed as the affair dashed the high hopes based on its amnesty proclamation and the British decision to release all prisoners held for offenses in England from Irish political motives. Prior to the truce in Ireland, developments are awaited with the utmost anxiety.

Collins Sends Warning.  
LONDON, Feb. 13.—Michael Collins, head of the Irish provisional government, has sent a cablegram warning the American association for recognition of the Irish republic, not to assist or countenance a coup d'etat which he declared was being planned against the Irish provisional government, says a Dublin dispatch today to the London press association.

Baseball Meeting.  
There will be a baseball meeting at the American Oil and Refining company, Wednesday, February 15, at 3:30 o'clock to elect a manager and for other business that may come up. All players and fans especially invited.—Baseball Fans. 11

## Edison 75 Feb. 11 But Delays None His Usual Labor

(By the Associated Press)  
WEST ORANGE, N. J., Feb. 11.—Seventy-five years ago Saturday, Thomas A. Edison was born February 11, was just another Saturday in his busy life and he made no plans to take a day off, not even failing to arise at the usual hour. While Mr. Edison seemingly forgot the day and its significance, there was noticeable over in the quarters of the "Edison Pioneers" an organization of men employed by him since 1885.

Some Signs of Activity.  
Members of this band of work men had planned for many days the greetings to be extended to the aged inventor, and had arranged for the annual luncheon in the storage battery building. The Edison workmen proudly displayed celluloid buttons having the figure "75." Messages of congratulations came in from all parts of the world. A private dinner was held at The Edison residence Saturday evening.

## Hotel Bandits Get \$100,000 in Early Morning Job Today

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 13.—Jewelry estimated by the hotel management to be valued at \$100,000 was obtained by bandits who early today looted the safety deposit boxes at the Washington Hotel in the western section of the city. H. A. Croft, night clerk, was compelled, at the point of a revolver, to open the safe. The jewelry was the property of guests and the exact value will not be determined until the guests list their losses.

The bandits also obtained \$960 in cash and \$1018 in currency from the cash drawer. They escaped after compelling the clerk, together with an elevator operator, to lie on the floor.

## GRIT

Grit! A rare quality in human nature, therefore one of the most prized. The man of grit looks adversity and misfortune in the face and dares it to do its worst, never wincing when felled by a blow but to do it up again and in the fray again. Enemies may undermine his reputation, slanderers may besmirch his name, fair weather friends desert him, but he still looks the world in the face unafraid and unflinching. There is little in the character of Macbeth to admire, but even when realizing that he was facing fate itself he could still draw his sword and cry: "Lay on, Macduff, and damned be he who first cries hold; enough." It is the unconquerable spirit that wins in the end, and should the grim fighter at last be laid low by fate, he can feel some degree of satisfaction in the fact that he went his limit and did not whine when stricken down by blows he could not parry.

## TONG WAR BREAKS OUT ALONG COAST

Chinese Under Cover After Killing of Three in Various States.

(By the Associated Press)  
SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 13.—Chinese tongmen throughout the west were reported under cover of on their guard today as the result of an apparent outbreak of Tong war last night, when two Chinese were killed and a third wounded in Seattle, Wash., one slain in Butte, Mont., and one probably fatally wounded, in San Jose, California.

In every instance the shootings were carried out in characteristic Tong war fashion, police reports indicated. Low Mow, 72, said to be the only member of the Bing Kong Tong, in San Jose, was met at his door, according to police reports, by three young Chinese, who fired three bullets into his body.

San Francisco police said they were watching the situation. The atmosphere in Chinatown was reported tense.

## \$1920 STOLEN FROM SAFE OF THEATRE IN TULSA

TULSA, Feb. 13.—One thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars in currency was stolen from the safe of a motion picture theatre between 5 and 6 o'clock this morning after yeggmen had ripped off the combination of the vault in the theatre office; \$578 in silver in the same drawer with the currency was not taken.

An open door leading from the roof of the building indicated to the police that the robbers left and entered the building through this building.

## Stonewall Program Tonight To Close Scout Observance

An audience estimated at 250 persons turned out at Fitzhugh yesterday afternoon to hear a concert by the Ada High School Boy Scout band, delivered under the auspices of the local Scout council.

Rev. J. H. Ball, pastor of the First Methodist church here, preached and Mrs. Myers of the Methodist church choir rendered a vocal solo. Second class badges were awarded to five scouts.

A feature of the meeting was the appearance of a party of Roff scouts who hiked to Fitzhugh under the direction of Rev. J. E. Bryan to hear the concert.

Today, scout officials will go to Stonewall for a Father and Son luncheon tonight. Rev. Harry Woods will put on some provisional demonstrations and second class badges will be awarded to several boys. About 100 men and boys are expected. This will close a week's observance of the twelfth anniversary.

Notice.  
K. P. Banquet is delayed from Tuesday night until further notice.

## MASTERS BOUND OVER TO COURT ON RAPE COUNT

After a desperate fight on the charge reduced to assault, W. W. Masters, Allen, was bound over to the district court Saturday afternoon by Justice of the Peace W. H. Fisher on a complaint of first degree rape. He was remanded to the county jail without bond.

Masters was alleged to have made a criminal assault upon an 8-year old girl at Allen about two weeks ago. Closing testimony for the state was given by Dr. I. M. Cummings and by the father of the child who was called here from his home in Arkansas. The father and mother are said to be separated.

Assistant County Attorney Hugh F. Mathis, conducting the prosecution, bitterly opposed an effort to reduce the charge and was sustained in his fight by Justice Fisher.

## COOPER SAYS HE IS READY TO GO

Local Fighter in Good Trim For Bout Tuesday With Shawnee Champ.

"Ready." This was the brief announcement today from the training camp of Arch Cooper, local fighter, who has declared himself prepared to meet "Hack" Heaglebeck, Shawnee champ, in a 6-round bout tomorrow night at the McSwain theatre under auspices of Norman Howard post of the American Legion.

Cooper is believed to be in even better trim than he was two weeks ago when he delivered a K. O. to "Battling" Fox of Shawnee in the third round. Heaglebeck is also confident of his ability to meet Cooper's advances as a result of having watched the local boxer in his triumph over the formidable Shawnee slugger. A big delegation of visiting fight fans is expected to arrive here tomorrow afternoon and watch Heaglebeck go in for a light sparring practice before he goes in to the ring with Ada's hope.

Only a few ringside seats were unsold at noon today, Gilbert F. Polly, commander of Norman Howard post of the Legion announced. There is a big demand for accommodations in the theatre and the balcony has been reserved for high school and East Central students. Ladies are especially invited and a good crowd of female fans probably will be in attendance.

## TEN DIVORCES A DAY IS RECORD OF THIS COURT

(By the Associated Press)  
ST. LOUIS, Feb. 13.—Ten divorce decrees a day was the average maintained by the court of domestic relations here during the first four months of its existence, according to a compilation by the court clerk. A total of 1,308 divorce petitions were filed, of which 963 were granted. In about 50 percent of the cases the custody of the children was made the main issue, while the other 50 percent of the couples had no children. For various reasons, 178 petitions were dismissed.

The month of November with 224 showed the largest number of decrees granted, followed by 154 in January, with October and December in the order named. Since the establishment of the court, which was authorized, by an act of the state legislature in 1921, the speed of the divorce mill in the local courts has been reduced greatly.

It was formerly possible to obtain a decree of divorce immediately after the filing of the petition. However, since the court of domestic trouble, ten days at least must elapse between the filing of the petition and a hearing in court. Another ten days, at least, is required for an investigation of the charges.

"Among the benefits of the new court," Judge Vital Garschoke declared, "the safeguarding of the interest of the children of unhappy marriages has become the foremost issue. In many cases, where the couples had children, a reconciliation has been effected and happiness restored in the homes, all on account of the children."

## ADA LADIES RAISE ORANGES AND LEMONS

At a meeting of the A. N. W. club held at the home of Mrs. J. A. Biles one afternoon recently, the hostess served oranges raised by herself. She has a tree from which she picked 32 ripe oranges. During the cold weather she keeps the tree in a cellar. She also served fruit juices from the product of her home orchard and vineyard.

Mrs. George Harrison has a ten-year-old lemon tree which produced two large lemons. The largest of these was 12 1-2 inches in circumference and made excellent lemonade and a pie. The fruit was put on in May and ripened a week ago.

## NURSE TO OPEN SCHOOL SURVEY OF ADA WARDS

Health Canvass To Take in Entire County if Funds Will Permit.

## IS UNIQUE MOVEMENT

Report on Kiddies Is Expected To Cause Big Improvement.

Mrs. Lucy Henderson, a trained nurse from Oklahoma City, who was due to arrive in the city today to begin a health survey of the schools and school children of Ada and the surrounding community, failed to report to the office of the city superintendent of schools up to 1 o'clock this afternoon according to Prof. J. E. Hickman.

She is expected to arrive tonight, however, and will map out her plan of operation tomorrow. It is expected that within a short time she will have completed her work in the city schools. All ward schools met today and the high school was operating on schedule, after a half week dismissal last week for the state teachers' convention at Oklahoma City.

The health survey of school children in Ada and the county is expected to cover about a month, according to a preliminary estimate made by City Superintendent J. E. Hickman. About \$200, returned to the county as a result of its contribution to the Christmas health seals campaign conducted by Mrs. Mabel Brownell, will be used in the survey which will be a unique one in this part of the state.

As soon as school buildings in Ada are covered, the nurse will go to other points in the county to examine each school child as long as funds last. Her report to the board of education here and at Oklahoma City is expected to show the complete status of each child examined. Local educators hail this movement as one that will be of vast importance to the school system in detecting and remedying individual defects in children which have been overlooked by parents.

Superintendent Hickman is chairman of the Pontotoc County Health committee under whose direct supervision the survey will be conducted. Other members of the committee are Mrs. Orville Sneed, Dr. S. P. Ross, Mayor Gary Kitchens, R. W. Simpson, John Smith, M. F. Manville, Robert Wimble, Mrs. S. P. Ross, Dr. M. M. Webster, city health officer, J. B. Hill, Mrs. A. Goetter, Francis, Mrs. Z. K. McKoy, Stonehall, Mrs. John E. Lee, Allen; Mrs. Clay Jones, Roff; Mrs. R. U. Small, Vanoss, and Mrs. Mabel Brownell, secretary of the Ada school board.

## TEXAS OFFICERS TAKE 9 NEGROES AFTER MURDERS

(By the Associated Press)  
WACO, Tex., Feb. 13.—A drag net by county and city officials around Concord, near here, where W. A. Barker, merchant, and his wife, were murdered Saturday night, and Homer Turk, 13 year old son of a neighbor, dangerously wounded, early today had resulted in the arrest of nine negroes, who are held in jail here as suspects. Two of the suspects fit the description of the assassins as given by the four year old daughter of the murdered couple, according to the officers.

The fact that the two negroes under arrest left home Saturday night and did not return home but were later found by officers in considered significant, detectives said today. The other seven suspects are merely held for investigation, it was said.

## CURFEW IS REIMPOSED AFTER BELFAST RIOTING

BELFAST, Ireland, Feb. 13.—Beginning tonight, the curfew at 9 o'clock in the evening and 5 o'clock in the morning will be re-imposed. This action was decided upon today in a conference between the Lord Mayor, the military commander and the police commissioner, as a result of re-nerved disorders yesterday, which continued today.

Up to 3 o'clock this afternoon a total of eight persons had been killed since Saturday.

## NOTICE MASONS

There will be a called communication of Ada Lodge No. 119, A. F. & A. M., this evening at 7:30 for the purpose of work in Master's degree. Visitors extended welcome.—F. R. Laird, W. M.



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## BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY

★ THE GOLDEN RULE:—As ye would that men should do to you, do ye also to them.—Luke 6:31.

## IMAGINATION GONE WILD.

The writer of this bit of wisdom once attended a school in which he took a course in Shakespeare, much time being spent on "Hamlet." We found that Hamlet was insane, sane, a student of philosophy, a statesman, a student of science, and in fact almost everything under the shining sun. We even had him as the personification of Shakespeare himself. If Shakespeare had in mind all the things we believed and said he had when he wrote "Hamlet" he would have been a greater student than Bacon or any of the other world famous scholars. As a matter of fact, Shakespeare was not anything more than a playwright who happened to have unusual command of the English language and knew where to find interesting subjects and create interesting characters of the stage. He created or in many instances re-created human beings with the skill of the artist, but to believe that he had half of the ideas in his mind when he wrote his plays that some of the schoolmasters put there is folly.

The same thing is true with what any one writes even in this good day. A simple statement of fact is made. Some one reads it and imagines there is something more implied. Another reads it and finds another thing implied. In the case of Shakespeare, we have immense volumes discussing the question of Hamlet's sanity. If everything that is imagined about an article which appears sometimes in the daily press could be reproduced it would cover thousands of pages. As a matter of fact, the average persons tries to tell exactly what he means in the simplest language possible, and he who tries to read anything else in it is merely "kidding himself."

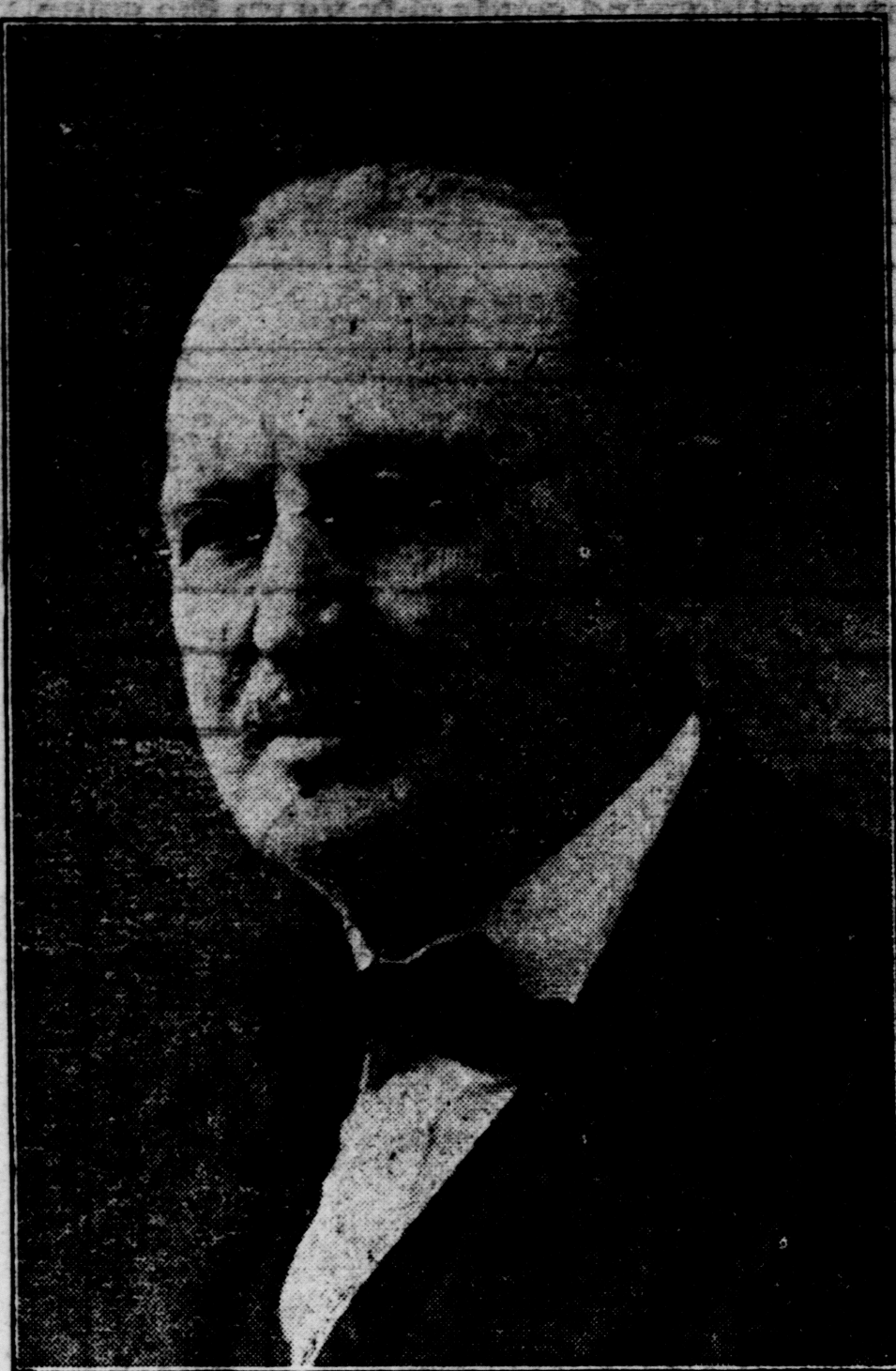
This reminds us of an incident that occurred to a newspaper friend in the East. He wrote an article one day, strongly denouncing certain things of which he knew an official was guilty. Imagine his surprise the next day when this same official thanked him for the article and asking him to keep up the good work. He has never again tried to imply something not directly stated.

No, friends, this implied stuff is not. When you attribute to a news reporter of the present day his implying something not stated in a news story you usually do the reporter credit for having more sense than he has and you are making a fool of yourself.

Savoyard, one of the best known political writers of the country, says in a recent communication that the Republicans will yet be called to account for refusing to ratify the Versailles treaty. He ascribes the unsettled condition of the business world to this failure. To have ratified it would have put this nation in the position of leadership in the reconstruction of the world's affairs and by this time matters would have been so far adjusted that trade would be much nearer normal and there would be less feeling of unrest and uncertainty for the future. Capital is naturally timid and is not going to take many chances. Savoyard closes with the statement that the country needs more Wilsonism at all events, the speedy return to prosperity promised in the campaign of two years ago has failed to materialize as per schedule and in view of the fact that the Republicans have been in control of both houses of congress for four years there will be a lot of explaining to do this year. The Republican party has always claimed to have a monopoly on constructive legislation and the partner of prosperity and now the voters will demand to know what has happened.

The News is in receipt of some literature in opposition to the proposed lease of Muscle Shoals to Henry Ford. It is sent out by the National Fertilizer association, with the request that the paper make whatever editorial comment it sees fit. Here is our comment. Looks strange that the fertilizer interests would spend thousands of dollars in propaganda against the Ford plan unless there is a big chance of his turning out a product cheaper than it can be bought for now. We are more interested in the welfare of the farmers of this nation than we are in profits of the fertilizer manufacturers, so if Ford will lower the prices we are for him.

In an appeal to the senate to ratify the treaties negotiated at the Washington conference President Harding says that peace efforts after a refusal to ratify these pacts would be hollow mockery. When Wilson said about the same thing in regard to ratifying the Versailles treaty Harding was in the senate and ready to knock anything in the head that promised to reflect any credit on Wilson. Now the shoe is on the other foot and Harding must save his face, if possible. As the treaties in question are intended to promote the cause of peace we believe the Democratic senators will be patriotic enough to rise above the partisanship displayed by the Republican senators, aided and abetted by a few Democrats, when the Versailles treaty was under discussion and will vote for ratification, even though Harding and Hughes do get some credit for the work.



**E. W. Hardin, Democrat**

Candidate for State Insurance Commissioner  
Primary August 1, 1922

## The Forum of the Press

A National Disgrace.  
(Hugo News)

Many who read this would have died on the battlefields of France or been permanently crippled, had it not been for the American soldiers now known as "disabled veterans."

They stopped the enemy and his bullets. That shortened the war—ended it before more of the folks back home were drawn into the casualty lists.

The lucky ones who came through the war uninjured are enjoying peace. But the war goes on forever for the disabled soldier.

In most cases, his battle will last until his death.

And it is a battle that he is fighting largely alone.

More than three years have passed since the Armistice. The disabled war veterans, far from enjoying the comforts that are rightly theirs by all laws of decency, again are compelled to fight for fair, square treatment by the national government.

The details of this fight are being told in the news columns of the Hugo News.

The situation discloses gross neglect and an almost criminal stupidity in mishandling the disabled soldiers.

It is becoming an old story. And it is shadowed by talk of "national ingratitude."

There is, however, no ingratitude. The American people are fully aware of the tremendous debt they owe their crippled and maimed heroes.

The American people stand ready to foot the bill for whatever is necessary to give these men a square deal.

Responsibility for this national disgrace is somewhere in Washington.

Not will call the kettle black. The buck will be passed freely between Congress and the Veteran's Bureau.

The unscrupulous will coin political capital out of the situation.

After all is said and done the real trouble is nothing but red tape and stupidity. It is unbelievable that any American official or representative is voluntarily throwing obstructions in the disabled veteran's path.

What is needed in Washington is a little common sense.

In all the history of our republic, there never has been as black a disgrace as the neglect of disabled veterans. The public, refusing to believe that Uncle Sam's efficiency has fallen to zero, demands action, fast and thorough.

Scating on Thin Ice.  
(Holdenville Democrat)

For about a quarter of a century now we, the editor of the Democrat, have been skating on thin ice in the business world and during those twenty-five years we have experienced many thrill that come from success and many of the pangs that are born of failure. But during those long extended and exciting years we have never failed to remember that we alone are the architect of our own individual fortune, and that if we succeed at all, it must be by the cunning of our own mind and industry of our own hands. Never for one moment have we believed that there lies in government either the duty or the power to seize us with a paternal hand and lift us into prosperity by the magic laws of legislation. During the years we have lived we have accumulated many reasons for thankfulness, but for nothing are we more thankful than for the fact that never for one minute have looked to the nation to help us in life's strenuous battle for bread. Many the times we have been tempted to doubt our own ability to win the contest, but never have we even coveted the assistance of a paternal government.

Shawnee News: In Wichita where

a million dollar bond issue has recently been voted on which no taxes will be collected for more than a year a woman owning three houses has raised the rent on each one \$5 a month, "to pay the increased tax." Now it turns out that the houses are assessed at \$4,000 each and that the tax will amount to 96c for each \$1,000 of valuation, so that during the ten years the bonds will run the woman will have paid a total of \$115.20 in increased taxes and will have collected \$1,800 in the increased rent, making a net gain to the landlady of \$1,684.80. And Wichita is not the only city in the county where felonies of this sort are compounded, for while rent profiteering is not exactly recognized as a felony by the statute the families who must pay can't look upon it as nothing less than a real crime.

## Political Announcements City of Ada

The News is authorized to announce the following as candidates for the respective offices of the city of Ada, subject to the primary election:

FOR MAYOR—  
W. H. FISHER  
W. T. MELTON  
GARY KITCHENS  
U. G. WINN

For Commissioner of Public Works and Property:

J. D. FAUST  
E. W. WALKER  
HENRY KROTH  
WALTER S. SMITH  
JOE McELREATH  
A. T. McNALLY

For Commissioner of Accounting and Finance:

CHARLEY DEEVER  
LEE DAGGS  
MRS. TOM HOPE

The News is authorized to announce the following as candidates for the offices named, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

## State Offices

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE:  
WAYNE WADLINGTON

For State Senator:  
W. H. EBEE

For State Insurance Commissioner:  
E. W. HARDIN

## County Offices

For County Superintendent:  
F. E. GRAY  
A. FLOYD—(Re-election)  
A. T. WATSON  
MRS. PARRIE BRITT

For County Clerk:  
IRT IRWIN

For County Weigher:  
J. M. (JIM) BYRD  
JOHN WARD—(Re-election)  
GEORGE C. BEVEL

For County Attorney:  
A. C. CHANEY

For Sheriff:  
JOE E. SLOAN  
BOB DUNCAN

For County Tax Assessor:  
NICK HEARD—(Re-election)

County Commissioner, Dist. No. 2.  
CHARLEY LASEMAN  
I. R. GILMORE

U. S. AND JAPAN AGREE  
ON YAP CONTROVERSY

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—The long controversy between the United States and Japan relating to the Pacific Island of Yap—the subject of many notes and other diplomatic exchanges—was formally and finally ended today with the signing of a treaty by representatives of the two countries.

Frederick the Great organized the first modern spy corp.

## FINANCIAL CONDITIONS IN ENGLAND IMPROVING

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—Financial conditions in England and Italy were reported to the commerce department as improving today, by its foreign representatives. French business conditions were described as quiet while the loss of

Germany's industrial advantage was predicted by the reports.

Rehabilitation in Great Britain, according to Commerce Attache Tower at London, appeared to be fundamentally sound and in no danger of relapse.

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The word HOME is very dear to us; in fact, the civilized people of all the world dearly love that word. Around it cluster so many fond memories. Who does not often call to mind childish sports around the old homestead where so many happy days were spent? Was it not then and there that we began to plan another home, a happy home that would be all our own when we had reached the years of maturity? Have these fond hopes been realized? No, not by all. Why? Because all of us did not have the great opportunity that is now available—I mean we did not have access to THE HOME BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION OF ADA. What a boon to this city is this association. It is ever ready to lend a helping hand in order that all may own a home and that Ada may reach the goal of a city of home owners, and that old age may be adequately provided for.

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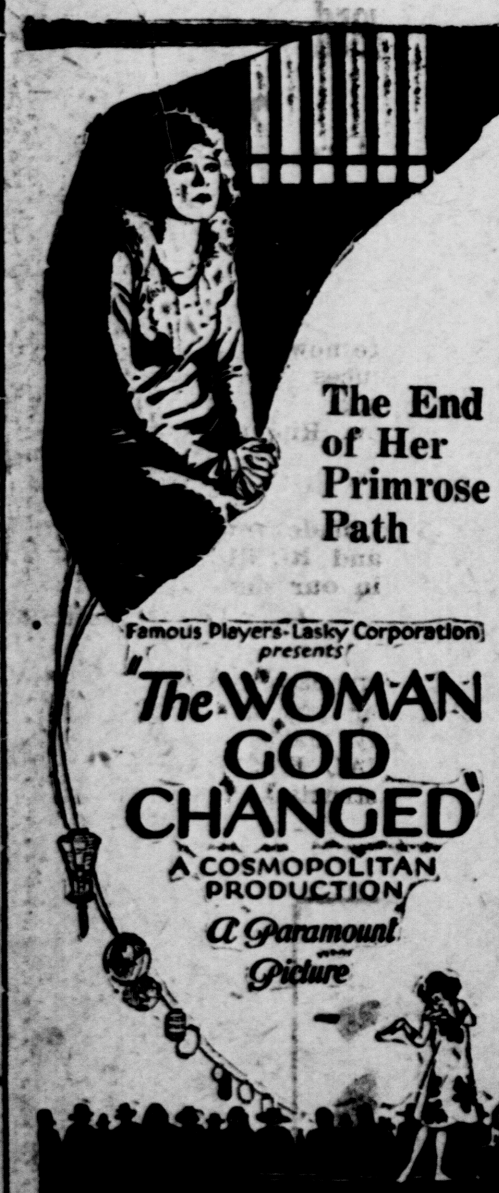
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SHOWING TODAY



PLEASE NOTE—This Theatre will be turned over to the American Legion Tuesday night for their entertainment.

## City Press

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

Eskimo Pie? See Page 6. 2-13-1t

Have your Photo made at West's.

Russell Battery Co. Willard Service and sales. Phone 140. 2-6-1m

Call 883 Ada Home Laundry. 2-9-1mo\*

Eskimo Pie? See Page 6. 2-13-1t

McCarty Bros. can fix that old tire or tube. Phone 855. 2-1-1mo

Cheer your sick friend with flowers. Ada Greenhouse. 2-3-1t

I am prepared to do spraying. W. F. McCaskle, phone 1125-R. 1-12-1m

Roland McWilliams, a student of the Teachers College, has returned from a week-end visit at Coalgate.

Eskimo Pie? See Page 6. 2-13-1t

Men's half soles \$1; ladies 75c.—Mistletoe Shoe Shop, 217 W. Main. 2-3-1mo.

Andrew Brook, who is teaching at the Happy Land rural school, was in Ada over the week-end.

A few flowers come like a ray of sunshine to a sick friend.—Ada Greenhouse. 2-3-1t

Mrs. W. T. Miller of 518 South Broadway is leaving today for a visit of ten days with friends at Atoka.

Shelton sells Furniture on easy payments. 1-21-1t

Eskimo Pie? See Page 6. 2-13-1t

For prompt delivery and reasonable prices. Phone 295. White's Grocery. 2-13-15t

George Morpheus of Shawnee has returned to this city to take up his work at the college after spending the week-end at his home.

Shelton sells furniture on easy payments. 1-21-1t

Hemstitching, pleating and button making.—Ada Hemstitching Shop at Shaws. 2-2-1mo

Peck Cunningham, of Franks, was found not guilty by a jury in Justice W. H. Fisher's court Friday on a pistol charge.

Dr. McNew announces the removal of his office from the Henly-Biles building to Room 4, Shaw building. 2-7-1m

Eskimo Pie? See Page 6. 2-13-1t

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Waner were in Franks last Saturday afternoon and evening, where they accompanied the Ada girls basketball team.

We loan you a battery while repairing yours. Kit Carson. Phone 124. 119 N. Broadway. 1-2-1mo.

Call Thomas Motor Co. for battery service. Phone 163—212 West 12th. 11-28-1t

Paul Waner, who spent the week-end with his parents at McCloud, has returned to take up his work at the Teachers College.

Oiled paper for wrapping butter. Tablet of 250 sheets 50c.—News Office. 1t

Plenty of money for city loans, ready to pay out now. See Abney & Massey. Phone 782. 1-18-1mo

Mrs. Mattie L. Brown and daughter, La Verne, of Sulphur were in the city over the week-end visiting friends and looking after business matters.

Eskimo Pie? See Page 6. 2-13-1t

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Jenkins, who are connected with the Sulphur schools, were in the city yesterday visiting friends. They stopped over here en route home from Oklahoma City where they spent a few days attending the convention of the state teachers association.

HEMSTITCHING—8c per yard. Singer Sewing Machine Co., 113 West 12th St., phone 953. 1-12-1m

Lowery Cromwell, who spent the week-end with relatives at Byars, returned yesterday to take up his work in the Teachers College.

Skilled repair work on all makes of batteries at reasonable prices. Kit Carson, Phone 124. 119 N. Broadway. 1-2-1mo.

Louis Lee, storekeeper at Franks, who was tried last week by a jury in the court of Justice of the Peace W. H. Fisher on a charge of being drunk in a public place was found guilty and fined \$10 and cost. He filed notice of an appeal to the county court.

Federal 33x—7500 Mile Tire \$25. Other sizes equally as cheap. The Square Deal Service Station. 1-10-1mo

The Knights of Pythias "Friendship Banquet" which was scheduled to be given Tuesday night at Castle Hall, Twelfth and Townsend, has been indefinitely postponed, according to an announcement from the committee today.

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The Calendar Stone or "sun stone" of the Aztecs is 12 feet in diameter.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

## PROBE OF BANK BOOKS TO OPEN

Parkinson Will Eliminate Talk and Start Work at Okmulgee.

(By the Associated Press)

OKMULGEE, Okla., Feb. 13.—"An ounce of performance is worth a ton of talk," Fred Parkinson, state examiner and inspector declared today on his arrival here with two deputies to begin examination of the books and records of the defunct Bank of Commerce when asked what he intended to do.

"We will begin a thorough examination tomorrow and if it takes six days or six weeks, we will stay on the job until it is finished," he said.

In the absence of C. S. Seaton, deputy bank commissioner in charge of the Bank of Commerce, who went to Oklahoma City yesterday to attend arguments before the supreme court in the receivership matter, Mr. Parkinson said he could not begin the examination of the bank's records until Mr. Seaton returned tomorrow.

Mr. Parkinson said he would in no way interfere with the control of the bank's affairs by the state banking department. "We will make a thorough examination of the books and records of the Bank of Commerce and will then make public a report of the results of the investigation," he said.

Petitions demanding the resignation of Judge H. R. Christopher from the superior court bench were circulated at several of the Okmulgee churches yesterday and a large number of signers were obtained.

Arrangements were being made today to hold a mass meeting of citizens primarily for those who are not depositors or otherwise interested in the Bank of Commerce at the court house Tuesday night to discuss the situation.

Fears that a riot would be precipitated by Judge Christopher attempted to meet with the committee of the bar association this afternoon at the court house as planned were expressed by County Attorney James Hepburn.

Judge Christopher had not returned to Okmulgee, so far as could be learned, up to noon today and his friends here were of the opinion he would not come to Okmulgee today.

Final Hearing Opens

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 13.—Final hearing to make permanent an alternative writ of prohibition issued against Judge John Norman of Okmulgee to prevent him from naming a receiver to liquidate the assets of the defunct Bank of Commerce of Okmulgee and from restraining the state bank commissioner from the liquidation was begun shortly before noon today in the state supreme court.

Uncle Joe Cannon Declares He Won't Seek Office Again

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—"Uncle Joe" Cannon, oldest member of the house, announced today he would not be a candidate for re-election as representative from the 18th Illinois district.

The former speaker announced his intention to retire from politics in an 11 word statement which read:

"I am not a candidate for re-election to the 68th congress."

Reports had been current for some time that he would seek another term but in response to inquiries, Mr. Cannon always declared he had not made up his mind as to his plans.

The Illinois representative, one of the most picturesque and widely known figures in congress, will be 86 years old on next May 7. He is serving his 23rd term as a representative of the house, during eight years of which he was speaker.

While Mr. Cannon in his statement gave no reason for his announced intention of retiring from public life, close friends declared that he had made the decision in the belief that his health and age made less strenuous life advisable.

U. S. MUST END WATCHFUL WAIT-UPON MEXICANS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Senator King, democrat, Utah, speaking today in the senate declared "watchful waiting" was apparently continuing to be the American policy towards Mexico.

"It is about time that the president did something to protect Americans in Mexico," said Senator King. "I hope that the policy of watchful waiting talked about so much a while ago, will not be continued by this vigilant and virile administration of which we now hear so much."

Senator King asserted that \$500,000,000 of property in Mexico had been seized and more than 50,000 Americans driven from that country.

Baseball Meeting

There will be a baseball meeting at the American Oil and Refining company, Wednesday, February 15, at 3:30 o'clock, to elect a manager and for other business that may come up. All players and fans especially invited.—Base Ball Fans.

## INSOLEN

Mrs. Wells is Hostess.

Complimentary to Miss Annie Carroll Simpson and her houseparty.

Mrs. H. W. Wells entertained with a three course bridge breakfast at her home on West Eighteenth Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

The one large table was laid with a Madeira breakfast set and a color scheme of violet and pale pink was used throughout. A large cut glass basket filled with English violets in the center with border of pale pink carnations, and the handle tied with pink and violet tulle was used for center decoration.

Places were found by matching little handpainted cards with clever questions on them, with others at the table on which were the answers. Those entertained were Mrs. and Mrs. Marvin Armstrong, Miss Mary Louise Coates, Russell Darling, and Lawrence Hays, all of Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Leahy; Rogers Leahy of Pawhuska; and Miss Mabel Leahy of the University of Oklahoma and Miss Annie Carroll Simpson. Mrs. Wells was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. J. H. Patton.

Miss Willenick is Hostess.

One of the most delightful affairs recently for the young social set of the high school was an entertainment given by Miss Kathryn Willenick at her home, 226 East Thirteenth street, last Wednesday evening.

Miss Willenick, who is one of the most popular young ladies in the high school, won the praise of her guests in the delightful and pleasing manner in which she conducted events of her entertainment.

The evening was spent in playing games, dancing and the evening program.

Misses Inez Love and La Verne Lasater assisted the hostess in furnishing music for the occasion. A saxophone solo was rendered by the hostess, at the request of friends.

Refreshments were served to the following: Misses Tot McKendree, Francis Tunnell, Eddie Mae Horn, La Verne Lasater, Ruth Bolen, Veda Reed, Wilma Chilcutt, Inez Love, Grace Mooney, Clyde Kitchens and Messrs. Charles Gregg, Jesse Carr, Fred Taylor, Harley Brown, Manson Hawkins, Jackie Wright, Turner King, Cliff Wade and Byron Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Crompton of Fort Worth, Texas, are in the city visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Allen on South Townsend. Their beautiful little daughter, Rose Mary, and their son are with them.

Fred G. Gay is in Ardmore this week on business.

Houston Mount, formerly with the Shelton Furniture company, has given up his position here and accepted a position in Weleetka. He left for the new oil town Sunday. Mrs. Mount will remain in Ada for a time before joining her husband.

COUNTY RAISES QUARANTINE ON EVERY BORDER

Dr. J. A. Deen, county health superintendent, announced at noon today that a smallpox quarantine laid down about two weeks ago against Pottawatomie and Murray counties had been raised and that all persons would be allowed to come and go at will to all parts of the state, as far as the county is concerned, effective with the order.

Smallpox has been practically eliminated in this part of the state, he has been informed. Dr. Deen made a personal investigation of three cases reported recently near Lula and found them to be chicken pox, he said. Both cases of smallpox that have been in quarantine in Ada are completely well now, he said, and the quarantine has been lifted.

This leaves the county free of contagious disease, as far as the county health officer has been able to learn.

Good health generally prevails in Ada and Pontotoc county, he declared. Co-operation of the public with its physicians has been credited as the biggest cause in preventing an epidemic of any kind.

COLD WAVE SPREADS OVER ENTIRE STATE

OKLAHOMA CITY, Feb. 13.—A cold wave spread over the state last night, with temperatures of 15 degrees reported in Oklahoma city this morning, a drop of 64 degrees from a high temperature of 79 Friday, the local weather bureau announced today. Muskogee and Altus both reported 19 degrees this morning, and a temperature of 12 degrees prevailed over the northwestern part of the state.

Fair and warmer is the forecast for tonight with a prediction of 16 to 20 degrees in the north and 22 to 30 in the south portions.

YAP TREATY IS SENT TO PRESIDENT TODAY

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The treaty between the United States and Japan regarding wireless and cable rights on the island of Yap was sent to President Harding today from the state department where it was signed Saturday by Secretary Hughes and Ambassador Shida Hara.

The president plans to submit the treaty to the senate for ratification within a day or two, together with a short message, to be taken by messenger.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—The treaty between the United States and Japan, giving the status of the island of Yap, and covering the question of cable and wireless rights, was sent to the senate today by President Harding.

## E. W. HARDIN IS STATE CANDIDATE

The many friends of E. W. Hardin in this section will be pleased to know that he will be in the race this year for Insurance Commissioner, an office he now holds. He was appointed to fill out the unexpired term of A. L. Welch, who resigned about a year ago.

Mr. Hardin lived in Ada for many years and was connected with all the moves to make Ada a larger and better city. His family was among the most popular in the history of the town. Since leaving here the children have grown up and scattered. Clifford is married and is living in Oklahoma City, having charge of the insurance for several large fire insurance companies. Glenn is one of the executives for a large oil concern, and Louise is a student of the University of Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. Hardin live near the Capitol.

Although the Hardins have been away from Ada for several years, the old timers here still consider them Ada People. It is expected that he will get the vote in this section almost solidly.

LAST LAP OPENS IN CITY LEAGUE FIGHT TONIGHT

The last lap of the city league race for championship starts tonight in the college gym, with the Teachers College and Battery F squads playing two other teams in the league in preparation for the final battle February 20. Battery F will be battling continually during the remainder of the league, while the teachers have only one game after tonight.

Teams scheduled to play tonight are: Teachers vs. High School and Battery F vs. Cement Plant. As Battery F and the Teachers are leading, it is expected that the two games will be in their favor. The Cement plant is the tail ender of the league and after tonight's game will have completed their schedule. The men of that squad will be seen in action for the last time until the league tournament.

Standing of the teams at present is as follows: Teachers, first; Battery F, second; Ada News, third; High School, fourth; Business College, fifth and Cement Plant sixth. A race has developed between the Battery and Teachers College. All fans are looking forward to that game between these two squads on the night of February 20, for the climax of the entire league season.

BREAK IN LABOR LAW IS CHARGED ADA CONTRACTOR

Six individual actions alleging violation of the state labor laws were filed Saturday in the county court against I. E. Hanson, contractor who has charge of the North Mississippi avenue paving project. The complaints were signed by Frank A. Kerr of the state labor department, Oklahoma City, and allege an underpayment of laborers on the job. Hanson made bond for his appearance at the next session of the county court on criminal cases.

Other cases involving the same complaint are understood to have been filed in justice courts here by individuals are intended it is said, as test cases.

The paving contract around which the cases center is now near completion.

New cases filed on the civil docket of the district court are: Jesse Hays vs. Hanover Fire Insurance company of New York, judgment; Jess Hays vs. Insurance company of the State of Pennsylvania, judgment; Sutherland Lumber company vs. W. F. McKaskle, foreclosure of mortgage; W. N. Hughes vs. B. F. Sullivan, Jessie Sullivan et al, foreclosure of mortgage and money due on contract; John F. Hallmark vs. C. W. White and Oklahoma State bank, recovery of land and rents; John F. Hallmark vs. J. H. Kykendall, recovery of land and rents; N. B. Stall vs. W. F. Shulte and R. P. Cotten, money on notes.

The disease of pellagra, caused from deficient diet, is on the increase in the southern states.

THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY

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The young lady across the way says it's interesting enough to go to the New York Stock Exchange once in a while but she doesn't see why anybody wants to pay the price they ask for a seat for the season.

## UNCLE JOE'S SEAT IS MUCH COVETED BY POLITICIANS

DANVILLE, Ill., Feb. 13.—With Uncle Joe Cannon making the race for congressman from this district? This is the question that is admittedly troubling a number of men who openly aspire to fill the veteran's chair in the United States House of Representatives but who just as openly announce they will not run if "Uncle" Joe intends to.

"Uncle Joe" has not yet filed his petition as a candidate. His failure to do this last Friday, the first day of the filing, has set the political docket buzzing with speculation, although the petition may be filed any time before March 2.

Only one man has thus far broken these ranks. He is State Representative William P. Holaday, who announced recently that he would be a candidate before the April primaries regardless of "Uncle" Joe's decision.

Just what Congressman Cannon's political intentions for the immediate future are, is a question. A few months ago when it was announced in Chicago that Uncle Joe would not again be a candidate, preparations were being made by several to announce their candidacies, when word was received direct from Danville's famous member of congress to the effect that he had not authorized such announcement and that he would inform his constituents of his intentions in good time.

This blighted the budding hopes of local leaders, with the single exception of Representative Holaday.

Cannon's relatives and local managers declare they have received no instructions from him regarding the matter. In the meantime Holaday is canvassing the district and effecting an organization among his friends.

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Otis Underwood, 18, Franks, and Miss Arzilla Prince, 18, Franks.



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COTTON MESSALINES—A silken underwear cloth in flesh and white, the yard 75c

SILK AND COTTON CREPE—A new material for underwear, silk and cotton mixture, which is very serviceable, all shades 59c

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BATISTE, from an inexpensive grade to the sheerest of the sheer come these new domestic and imported cloths; 23c to 98c

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## TELLS OF THREAT SLAIN TAYLOR MADE TO KILL EX-SECRETARY, NOW SOUGHT



Claire Windsor.

Claire Windsor, movie queen, has told Los Angeles authorities that she heard William Desmond Taylor, murdered motion picture director, threaten to kill Edward F. Sands, his former secretary, who now is sought in connection with Taylor's death. She says Taylor made the threat at a hotel party.

## "MY MILLIONAIRE MATES" WILL BE THEME OF PEGGY HOPKINS' NOVEL

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.—(Special)—Peggy Hopkins Joyce has sailed for Europe on the Aquitania bent on getting to the quiet of Nice, where she says she intends writing a novel based on her marital experiences.

She says she intends to tell some things about one of her husbands that he would give \$100,000 to keep out of the book. Whether she had in mind her latest ex-husband, James Stanley Joyce of Chicago, she doesn't state.

She's willing to converse. "I'm going to bury myself somewhere in the south of France," she confided on her departure, "probably at Nice, and there I am going to write a book, a novel. I'm going to call it 'My Life and My Millionaire Husbands,' I think. But I'll do the title last. I may change it."

"Are you going to get married again?" she was asked.

"Never, never, never again—until the book is finished. But I'll not try a millionaire. I don't mean that they're not all right sometimes, because there are times when a millionaire is needed."

May Let ex-Husband Help. It was suggested to her that she might dispose of one of the pages of her book to her husband so he could put on it what he wanted about himself. The price suggested was \$100,000.

"Well, the things I am going to say about one of my husbands I know he'd give me much more than that if I didn't, but for the way he's knocked me I'm going back at him twice as hard."

She casually mentioned that she was going to appear in a play in



Peggy Hopkins Joyce

London and was also going to get some of her jewelry she had left on the other side.

## MOOR CHIEFTAIN SI JINX OF U. S.

Raisuli Figured in Hays' Demand for Yank Alive of Native Dead.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Raisuli, the Moorish bandit who has just again offered to surrender to the Spanish military forces which are pushing an active campaign against him in Morocco, is the man who once drew the United States into action in that vexed corner of the world.

He figured in that celebrated incident when Secretary of State John Hays demanded "Perdicaris alive or Raisuli dead."

That was 17 years ago, in 1904. Raisuli had captured Ion Perdicaris, a naturalized American citizen and kept him prisoner. President Roosevelt sent a fleet of eight American war vessels stripped for action into Tangier Harbor while John Hays sent his famous message to the feeble Sultan in nominal command there.

Raisuli, who now says he is "too fat to fight," had long been a leader of the wild tribesmen who have frequently swamped the trained battalions of a civilized power.

Perdicaris, a wealthy man, was president of the European Commission administering affairs in Tangier City in 1904. He has told the story of his capture and it was recounted some time in ago National Geographic Society bulletin. He was snatched out of his summer home by Raisuli's raiders and borne off to a mountain stronghold.

Chief Opens Negotiations. From there, the chieftain proceeded to open up negotiations with the Sultan of Morocco, Perdicaris' family, and eventually in indirect fashion

with the American government, concerning the price to be paid for his captive. The United States cut short the chaffering in the fashion described. The Sultan, panic-stricken sent \$70,000 in silver to Raisuli, appointed him governor of a district, turned loose some of his friends from Tangier jails, and incarcerated some of Raisuli's enemies in place. Perdicaris later returned to the United States to express his thanks. Prosperity, however, came close to ruining his erstwhile captor, Raisuli. He got into a quarrel with the Sultan about his governorship, was thrown out, and promptly retaliated by bearing off for ransom Kaid Sir Henry McLean, British commander of the Moroccan army. He arrayed his tribesmen for battle, and descended upon the coast doing much damage to European interests, and in 1907, succeeded in setting all the hair-triggers in European diplomacy.

The French navy bombarded one



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of his captive towns, Casablanca, the now practically extinct Kaiser Wilhelm came to baste sniffing undue French expansion in prospect, but the matter was straightened out in a council chamber instead of on a battlefield. Raisuli was chased back to his mountain fastness, but news dispatches every few years record another of his eruptions.

A Strong Personality. In many respects the man interested and attracted me in spite of all my natural motives for dislike," Perdicaris says of Raisuli in the Geographic Society's report. "Raisuli was gracious and dignified, not to us only, but to his own wild adherents, who evidently idolized their chieftain, whose position among them seemed that of a head of a highland clan in olden times. He was quick to see the humorous aspect of a situation, while his repartee was as immediate aid to the point as though he had been born in the County Galway."

"I found myself unconsciously accepting his contention that he was not a mere brigand or cattle-lifter, but a patriot struggling to lift his Berber followers from the tyranny of corrupt officials. His charm of voice, the natural poise and dignity of his manner, his self-control under provocation, all betrayed a superior character."

Perdicaris remarks that "Raisuli could not bear to hear a child cry," but there was a fiercer background for the tribesman's motivation. Cromwell Varley, step-son to Perdicaris, was cracked over the head in the raid on the American's summer home, and both men were forced to ride many miles in tight bonds.

"It was in connection with the framing of the ultimatum 'Perdicaris alive or Raisuli dead' that a trusted correspondent of the Associated Press in Washington is concerned." The Geographic Society bulletin remarks, "being entrusted with preparing a message for President Roosevelt to sign, Mr. Hay did so and submitted it to his friend, the newspaperman for his opinion. 'Well, it may be diplomatic, but the Sultan will never get you in the midst of all those words, was in effect the newspaperman's verdict. 'Why not say what you mean, and no more.' Secretary Perdicaris alive or Raisuli dead."

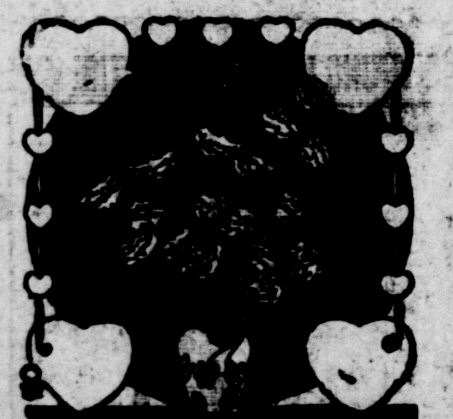
"The Secretary agreed. President Roosevelt approved. And the Sultan so far 'got' this succinct American demand that he abandoned all usual oriental indirection."

## Athletic Group To Meet Tonight and Talk Association

Prof. A. L. Fentem, appointed chairman of the committee to consider a plan for a local athletic association, has issued a call for the meeting of that group tonight at the Chamber of Commerce rooms. The council of the association has been appointed and all members are urged to be present tonight, as final steps are to be taken towards drawing up rules and regulations, electing a president or manager, and making other plans for the organization.

The meeting will be held at 7 o'clock and is not expected to take up much time. Ralph Waner, president of the Ada basketball league, stated today that he would put before the council plans of the finance committee, which have been considered and accepted by that body. It is expected that within the next week the success or defeat of the association will be known.

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## OKLAHOMA WEEKLY CROP BULLETIN

Oklahoma City, Feb. 11, 1922  
The average temperature for the past week has been considerably above normal for this time of the year. No precipitation of any mention has fallen over the state. The weather has been very favorable for farm work and good progress has been made in preparing the ground for spring crops in all sections except in the counties where the long drought still continues.

The weather has been favorable to the growth of wheat in the counties that have recently had moisture. A better root-system is being established and a slight improvement is noticed in many parts of the state.

Oats sowing is quite general in the southern counties, but it is impossible to make any prediction as to the probable acreage for the state this year. Some communities report increases while others are reporting decreases of similar dimensions. Future weather conditions will have a heavy weight in determining just what the acreage will be.

Isn't it a fact that those who control land and credit largely control what the farmers shall do? Did you know that the acreage planted to cotton last year would have produced not less than 10,000,000 bales in the average year; and in a bumper year would produce probably 12,000,000 bales or more? There is still too much cotton in the world and the world's ability to buy is too small for a crop of more than 10,000,000 bales. Do not increase the cotton acreage!

A crop of more than 10,000,000 bales would invite a return to the terrifying conditions which prevailed in 1920.

In 1921, the average value of an acre of wheat was \$10.75; in 1920, \$21.50 and in 1909, \$12.93. In 1921 an acre of wheat brought 1.4 barrels of flour; in 1920, 2.00 barrels and in 1909, 2.05 barrels.

The average value of an acre of corn in 1921 was \$8.00; in 1920, \$15.12 and in 1909, \$9.35. In 1909, an acre of corn brought 1.5 barrels of flour; in 1920, 1.3 barrels, but in 1921, it would buy only one barrel.

These figures are based on the

December 1 prices of these articles for each of the years mentioned and you will readily note that the buying power of a bushel of corn or wheat is probably lower than at any time in the State's history.

Have more food for the family and more feed for the stock on the farm. Don't start the year with a cowless, sowless or a henless farm! The State Board of Agriculture has recently issued cream station permits in counties in the eastern and southeastern part of the state that have never before been engaged in the business.

If you must raise cotton, prepare your soil early, use early seed, plant early and cultivate extensively. Don't plant a larger acreage than you can take care of successfully. Remember, the boll weevil will be mighty hungry this spring.

J. WHITEHURST,  
President, State Board of Agriculture.

## WEWOKA GIRLS WIN BY SMALL SCORE ON ADA

WEWOKA, Okla., Feb. 13.—(Special)—In what is termed by officials the best and hardest played game on the Wewoka high school court this season, the local girls team defeated Ada high school 21 to 20 here Saturday night. The visitors had the advantage of team work, but lost out on free goal shooting, which gave the home squad an advantage. A strange court for the Ada girls and the fact that several were playing their first year, put that team at a disadvantage.

At the end of the first half Wewoka was leading, 15 to 9, but the Ada girls put up a better fight in the last half, making twice as many

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## MUTT AND JEFF—Old Mutt Is a Very Convincing Arithmetic Teacher.

By Bud Fisher



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FOR RENT—Modern rooms with or without meals. 216 East 12th. Phone 217. Mrs. W. M. Prewette. 2-8-1m\*

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FOR RENT—Nice bed rooms 123 West 15th. Telephone Mrs. Winn. 2-7-6t\*

FOR RENT—Modern furnished apartment, 217 East 15th. Phone 691-R. Malcolm A. Smith. 1-9-1m

FOR RENT—Unfurnished apartment at the Colonnade. Call 358 before 8 or after 6 o'clock. Mrs. Riddle. 2-1-1m\*

FOR RENT—Exceptionally nice three or four room apartment on Main street, three blocks from town also two furnished rooms. Phone 487. 3-13-2td\*

FOR RENT—Eight room modern house 601 South Townsend, partly furnished, \$38. or first floor apartment. Also large room near normal. See Miss Dobbins, 111 North Broadway. Phone after 7 p. m. 586. 2-11-2t\*

## MISCELLANEOUS

SINGER SEWING MACHINES sold on easy payments; also rented by week or month. We repair all makes of sewing machines. Phone 953.—Singer Sewing Machine Co., 113 West 12th, Ada, Okla. 2-2-1mo\*

## NOTICE

Bids will be received by the County Superintendent up to Saturday, Feb. 18, 1922 at 2:00 p. m., covering the construction of an addition to the Colbert School House, northeast of Ada. Access to plans and specifications may be had at the Sledge Lumber Co., 118 North Rennie Ave., Ada, Okla. 2-8-10t

Let a News Want Ad get it.

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Brown leghorn, hens \$1 each. Mrs. W. E. Carr, Roff, Okla. route 3. 2-13-2t\*

FOR SALE—One ton Ford truck in good repair; a bargain. Phone 607. 2-13-6t\*

FOR SALE—Brown Leghorn eggs for setting; select pen 15 eggs for \$1.00; range flock 100 eggs \$4.50. Booking orders now. J. M. Welborn, Phone 339. 2-10-3td\*

## WANTED

WANTED—Plain or fancy sewing; prices reasonable; work guaranteed. Phone 198-J. 2-10-3t\*

WANTED—Your old mattresses to work over, 400 East 12th, Phone 170. Ada Mattress Factory.

WANTED—50 cars at once, all makes, have opened a wrecking shop east of Katy on East Main. 3-11-3t\*

WANTED—To trade for Ada property 160 acres fine New Mexico land, unencumbered, subject to irrigation. Phone 364. 2-11-3td

WANTED—Four houses near the normal; want other resident property elsewhere in Ada. Owners must write T. G. Brannan, Centrahoma, Okla. 2-9-4t\*

YOUNG men, women, over 17, desiring government positions, \$130 monthly, write for free list of positions now open. R. Terry, (former Civil Service examiner) 717 Continental Bldg., Washington, D. C. 2-11-3t\*

## KATO, AT NEW ORLEANS CALLS PARLEY A SUCCESS

(By the Associated Press)  
NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 13.—Admiral Tamasaburo Kato, head of the Japanese delegation to the arms conference, is today the guest of New Orleans. He leaves tomorrow for San Francisco to sail for his home February 21.

"I look for the dawn of a new era of peace and understanding between the big nations, and especially between the United States and Japan, as a result of the arms conference," he declared. "The meeting at Washington was a success in every way."

The hair of Australoids and Europeans is elliptical or oblong, while that of the Mongolian is circular.

## LODGES

Ada Chapter No. 78 O. E. S. meets second and fourth Thursday nights in each month.—Jewel Rowlee, W. M.; Margaret Peay, Sec'y.

I. O. O. F.—Ada Lodge No. 146, regular meeting every Thursday.—W. J. Witcher, N. G.; H. C. Evans, Sec'y.

B. P. O. E.—Ada Lodge No. 1275 meets second and fourth Monday nights in each month.—H. Claude Pitt, secretary.

A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting of Ada Lodge No. 119, Monday night on or before the full moon in each month.—F. R. Laird, W. M.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

R. A. M.—Ada Chapter No. 26, Royal Arch Masons, meets the second Tuesday night in each month.—T. W. ROWZEE, High Priest; F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

K. T. M.—Ada Commandery No. 16 Knights Templar Masons meets the third Friday night of each month.—T. W. ROWZEE, E. C.; F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Magnolia Lodge No. 146, meets every Tuesday night. Visiting knights cordially invited.—F. L. Finley, Chancellor; Commander; J. W. Westbrook, K. R. S.

(Published February 13, 1922)

## ORDINANCE NO. 475.

An ordinance levying assessments for the cost of paving and otherwise improving of street improvement district No. 9, same being North Mississippi avenue from the north line of East Main street to the south right-of-way line of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad, including all street intersections and alley crossings on the above described avenue in the city of Ada, Pontotoc county, Oklahoma, and declaring an emergency.

Be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Ada, Pontotoc county, Oklahoma, that: Section 1. Whereas, the Board of Appraisers heretofore appointed by resolution to appraise and apportion the benefits resulting from the paving, grading, curbing, draining and otherwise improving of the avenue described in the title of this ordinance to the several lots and tracts of land liable to assessment for the payment of the cost of such improvements, which costs have been ascertained to be the sum of Forty-two Thousand Eight Hundred Forty-four and 7-100 Dollars (\$42,844.97), have performed their duties according to law as such appraisers, and have returned and filed with the City Clerk of said City the reports of their appraisal and apportionment; and, Whereas, after filing the same, the Board of Commissioners did appoint a time for the holding of the session of such Board of Commissioners as a Board of Review to hear and consider any and all complaints or objections concerning such appraisal and apportionment and caused due notice of such session to be published as provided by law, and in pursuance of such action and publication, the Board of Commissioners duly convened as such Reviewing Board on the 9th and 11th days of February, 1922, all as shown by minutes of meeting of said Board of Commissioners of the City of Ada, Oklahoma; and,

Whereas, said session the Board of Commissioners as a Board of Review heard all complaints and objections made to such appraisements and assessments as returned by the Board of Appraisers and did adjust and review such assessments and apportionments as they found unjust, erroneous or not in accordance with the benefits accorded to such lots, tracts and parcels of ground affected by such improvements; and thereafter by resolution passed and adopted on the 11th day of February, 1922, did confirm such appraisements and apportionments so reviewed, adjusted and corrected by said Board of Commissioners in manner and form as required and authorized by law; and,

Whereas, all legal requirements have been fully complied with to authorize the levying of assessments to pay the costs of said improvements against the several lots and tracts of land liable to such assessments;

Now, therefore, there shall be and there is hereby levied and assessed against the several respective lots and tracts of land of said Street Improvement District described in the title of this ordinance with the amounts respectively stated in said report of the Board of Appraisers as reviewed and confirmed and as follows, to-wit:

## EXHIBIT "A"

Paving Assessments—Street Improvement District No. 9, Ada, Oklahoma.

Lot	Block	Assessment
E 100 ft. of 3	3	\$ 460.91
W 45 ft. of 3	3	272.09
4	3	1,044.86
5	3	1,452.51
W 72.5 ft. of 6	3	518.81
E 95 ft. of 3	4	600.00
W 50 ft. of 3	4	377.01
N 53.8 ft. of 4	4	458.73
S 53.7 ft. of N 4 of 4	4	344.74
N 53.7 ft. of S 4 of 4	4	344.74
S 53.8 ft. of 4	4	363.64
W 50 ft. of 5	4	648.28
E 50 ft. of W 100 ft. of 5, 4	4	429.16
E 45 ft. of 5	4	363.70
6	4	965.32
E 3 of 3	9	413.27
W 3 of 3	9	413.26
E 3 of 4	9	428.80
W 3 of 4	9	774.92
6 (W 3)	2	148.09
7	2	281.32
8	2	281.38
9	2	343.16
10	2	340.65
11	2	462.05
5	3	352.37
6	3	352.37
7	3	367.04
8	3	630.86
9	3	620.28

W 20 ft. of 10	3	153.16
E 30 ft. of 10	3	208.17
W 10 ft. of 11	3	83.78
E 40 ft. of 11	3	263.17
12	3	346.93
5	8	348.01
6	8	348.01
7	8	362.45
8	8	622.35
9	8	641.11
10	8	187.69
11	8	173.41
12	8	345.82
W 3 of 10	8	347.82
E 3 of 10	8	371.14
11	9	350.14
12	9	360.49
1	9	618.72
2	9	598.82
3	9	329.08
4	9	286.23
5	9	286.23

## Bullard's Sub-Division

1	94.94
2	269.13
3	434.66
4	375.86
5	498.38
6	496.50
7	510.93
8	494.61
9	494.80
10	505.40
11	516.18

## Sunrise Addition

1 (E 28.95 ft)	D	1,000.84
2 (E 29.3ft)	D	52.63
3	D	536.24
4	D	980.81
5	I	1,025.94
6 (E 29.4 ft)	I	535.54
7 (E 29.7 ft)	I	553.46
8	I	1,010.97
9	J	1,000.36
10	J	469.31
11	J	79.06
12	J	432.52
13	J	106.62
14	J	982.31
15	O	985.15
16	O	536.57
17	O	4.73
18	O	535.90
19	O	974.45
20	P	978.15
21	P	529.03
22	P	9.47
23	P	486.37
24	P	880.40

Section 2. That the assessment hereby levied against the several lots and tracts of land shall bear interest at the rate of seven (7) percent per annum and said assessments shall be payable in ten (10) equal installments; the first installment with interest upon the whole amount shall be due and payable on the 1st day of September, 1922, and one installment thereof with interest on the whole amount remaining unpaid to said date respectively, shall be payable on the 1st day of September of each of the years 1923 to 1931 inclusive, provided, however, the owners of any of the lots and tracts of land so assessed shall have the privilege of paying the amount of their respective assessments without interest any time with thirty (30) days from the date of the passage of this ordinance and provided further that the owners of the property upon which said work

or any part thereof, not less than one block, shall at any time have been completed and approved, shall have the right to make payment of their respective assessments within thirty (30) days from approval of said work or any part thereof with interest upon said assessment at the rate of seven (7) percent per annum from the date of said assessing ordinance to date of payment, and provided further that if the work for which any property owner proposes to pay his entire assessment with interest has not been completed and approved within four (4) months from the date of this ordinance, then four (4) months interest only shall be added to said assessment, and the owners of said property shall have all other options as provided by Chapter 10, Article XII, of the Revised Laws of the State of Oklahoma 1909.

## Section 3. That an emergency

exists for the preservation of the public health, peace and safety, by reason whereof this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage, approval and publication.

Passed and the emergency clause ruled upon separately and approved this 11th day of February, 1922.

CITY OF ADA, OKLAHOMA.

By Gary Kitchens, mayor and commissioner of public justice and safety.

Attest: Minnie G. Hope, city clerk, and commissioner of accounting and finance. 2-13-1td

ELGIN—Three hundred persons attended a recent "live at home" program here. A demonstration in meat canning, given by Miss Lenna Spear, home demonstration agent, and an address by John A. Whitehurst, president of the state board of agriculture, featured the program.

## Professional Directory

**F. R. LAIRD**  
DENTIST  
Office Phone 886—Res. 539  
Office First National Bank Bldg.  
Ada, Oklahoma

**GRANGER & GRANGER**  
DENTISTS  
Phone 212—Norris-Haney Bldg.  
Ed. Granger, Phone 477  
T. H. Granger, Phone 259

**DR. ELLA D. COLTRANE**  
OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN  
First National  
Bank Building  
Phones: Office, 1002; Home, 853

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Over the Palm Garden  
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FUNERAL DIRECTORS  
AMBULANCE SERVICE  
Licensed Lady Embalmer  
Phone 618—201-203 East Main

**DR. O. McBRIDE**  
CHIROPRACTOR  
Suite 16—Shaw Building  
Office Phone 1104  
Residence Phone 1044-J

**DR. C. A. THOMAS**  
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SURGEON  
Office at Hospital  
Office Phone 306—Res. 243

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## Business Directory

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126 S. Townsend—Phone 502

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Office First Stairway East of  
M. and P. Bank  
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Office 1103 East Main Street  
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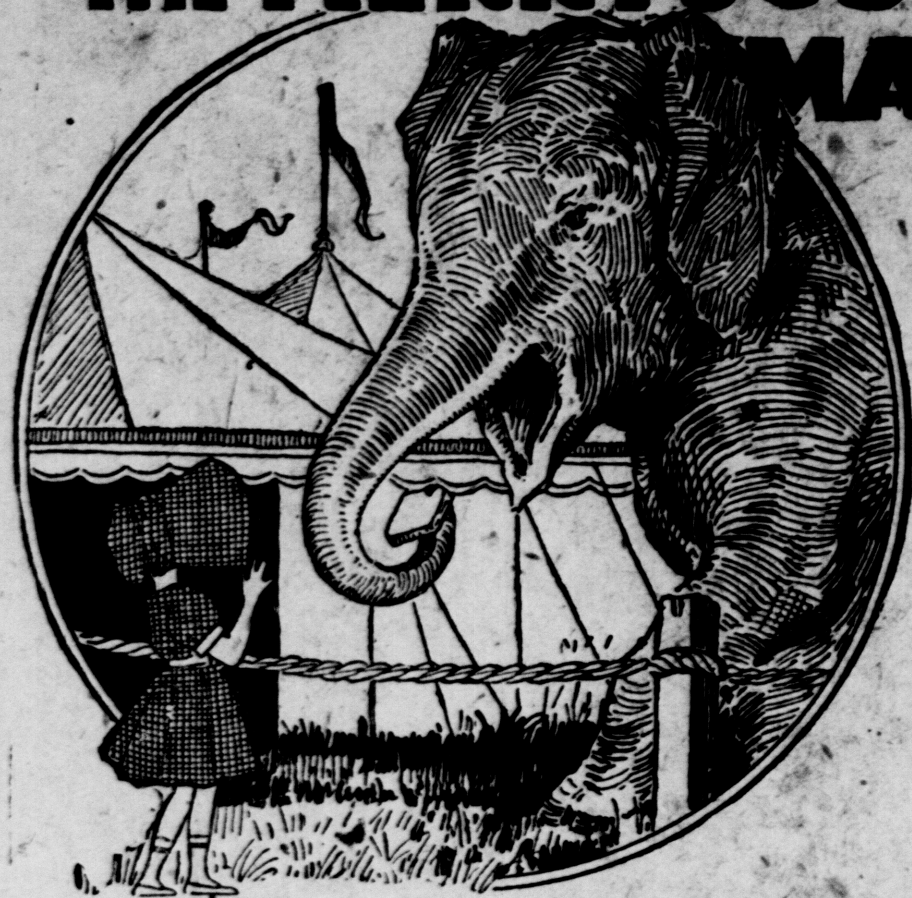


DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS—It didn't work exactly as Van der Wurst wanted it to.

By P. LEPPIGER



# THE MERRY JOURNEYS of MARY JANE



"Mary Jane", said Jumbo, "if folks only knew how sweet and good this Mary Jane Syrup is, why everybody would eat it all the time."

## Mary Jane Meets Jumbo—The Big Elephant

ONE day, the circus came to town. There were trained pigs, and clowns, and beautiful ladies riding in chariots, and a cage full of monkeys. But what Mary Jane liked best was the great big elephant, Jumbo. But everybody called him Jumbo.

Jumbo had a very wonderful nose. It was four feet long. And Jumbo could wrap it around a big man, and lift the man right up on his back. Jumbo could pick up a pin with his nose. And he put the end of it right into Uncle Jim's pocket and took out a lot of peanuts.

Mary Jane got to talking with Jumbo and he told her all about Africa and crocodiles, and tigers, and jungles where you get lost right away, just as soon as you stepped off the little path.

Mary Jane was so pleased to hear Jumbo that she opened up her lunch

basket and brought out two great big slices of bread spread with delicious Mary Jane Syrup, that she had for when she would get hungry from watching the lions.

She gave one of them to Jumbo, and he took it right up, and curled his long nose around till he put the whole piece of bread in his mouth at once. "Mary Jane", said Jumbo, if folks only knew how sweet and good this Mary Jane Syrup is, why everybody in the world would eat it all the time." And Mary Jane said that's what she thought, but she didn't like to say so out loud for Mary Jane Syrup was named after her. And then she said "good-bye" to Jumbo, and drove home with her Uncle Jim in his Ford.

LOOK FOR the next story about "The Queen of the Fairies Tells Mary Jane a Secret."

**FREE** For all children. The complete set of 12 NEW Mary Jane Fairy Tales, beautifully illustrated, sent free on receipt of one Mary Jane label taken from a can of Mary Jane Syrup. Write the Corn Products Refining Company, Dept. A, Argo, Ill.

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You can't help smacking your lips over delicious Mary Jane Syrup. You never tasted anything so appetizing on pancakes, biscuits, or corn bread. And for sliced bread—it's the perfect spread. Ask your grocer for a can today.

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# Eskimo Pie!

A pie that takes the cake. The filling is pure ice cream. The crust is delicious milk chocolate. An entirely new combination of the world's two most tempting dainties. It comes to you in sanitary foil wrappers, fresh and wholesome. More than a million a day now being sold in America. Made under process and product patents, allowed and pending by the licenses of the Russell Stover Company, Chicago.

A coating of the famous Ziegler Chocolate over a bar of delicious Santa Ice Cream.

On sale at the nearest ice cream dispensary

## Tomorrow 10 cents

# Southern Ice and Utilities Co.

## Farmers' Column

By Byron Norrell

Unless there is a prolonged change in the weather the fruit trees will all be in blossom very shortly with every prospect of being killed by the frosts that are yet to come. This brings to mind the fact that by a little extra effort fruit may be saved. In her rounds of the city Mrs. I. E. Riddle, circulation manager of the Evening News, has found some cases right here at home. W. T. Garwood, 846 East Eleventh, was one of the few who raised any peaches last year. He kept fires going in his orchard one or two critical nights. Mrs. W. L. Unsell told her of having saved much of their fruit on their ranch in the south end of the county some years ago by means of log fires. Another way is to use syrup cans filled with crude oil equipped with twisted rag wicks.

The Home Demonstration club of Pecan Grove held an interesting meeting Thursday afternoon. The study of dress forms was one of the topics of the occasion. Mrs. Duvall was present and she and others made talks on the subjects taken up. Mrs. Vasco Ross was the hostess and at the conclusion of the business session served refreshments.

J. B. Hill reports the organization of a club of 17 boys and girls at McCall school house Friday. The club membership is very much alive to the importance of the work and Mr. Hill predicts some good results.

Altho farmers were hard hit by the drop of from 3 1/2 to 8 billion dollars the last 2 years in the market price of their products they are showing themselves game losers. They have paid off approximately 25 per cent of their indebtedness within the last 4 months, so says C. J. Massee, of the Capper Publications after an investigation in the Central states.

No long ago I mentioned the flock of chickens raised by a well known fancier and now a subscriber of the Weekly News writes to get in touch with the party as he wants to improve his flock. I know of several farmers who have fine seed for sale. The best way to reach the public is through the News. People read it and will see even a small ad. No matter what you have to sell there is somebody who wants to buy and will if you let them know what you have. As a result of a two line reader the News has built up a good trade in butter wrapping paper.

I like to see evidences of community pride. On a recent trip through Union Valley I noticed that the citizens had placed a neatly painted sign on the school grounds telling the passersby the name of the school house and informing them that this community was the home of the potato grower's association. The school house and grounds being a credit to any neighborhood, it was a happy thought to let the travelers know its name. In addition to the fact that the potato growers are doing a well organized business might impress a very desirable prospector with the idea that he had found a first class community in which to locate.

Mrs. Dan Hays sold 60 hens and pullets Saturday for \$50. While this may not look like big money it is equal to the returns from a 500-bale of cotton at 10 cents per pound and probably required less effort to produce.

Often pigs do not grow off well because of worms. Hog men recommend a little kerosene poured over charcoal placed in easy reach of the pigs or a little turpentine fed in their slop.

The bark beetle or shothole borer should be watched for while winter pruning is going on. Trees that are badly affected should be grubbed up and carefully burned. This insect as a rule begins its attack only on weak or injured trees. Peach trees attacked by this insect should be severely pruned. Just before growth begins in the early spring spray the tree with a fish oil soap wash, using one pound of soap to a gallon of water, or to a gallon of good white wash. These washes may be drained and sprayed or put on with a brush. It should be thoroughly applied to all the trunk and large limbs.

**Importance of Good Sires.**  
A gain of 17 per cent in milk production and 20 per cent in butterfat production in daughters over their dams because of the use of a pure-bred bull is the striking result obtained in the New Windsor, Md., cow testing association which has a bull association as a subsidiary. The records of 21 cows were compared with the latter had become mature cows. The average production of the dams for one year was 5,560 lbs. of milk and 219 lbs. of butterfat. The daughters averaged 6,523 lbs. of milk and 263 lbs. of butterfat, a gain over the mothers of 963 lbs. of milk and 44 lbs. of fat. In the association every one of the daughters sired by one of the three association bulls was better than her dam. One of the bulls produced an average improvement in his daughters of 1,414 lbs. of milk and 62 lbs. of butterfat.

The worth of the pure-bred sire as an improver of the productive capacity of dairy cows has been measured in a number of localities where there are both cow testing and bull associations. The United States Department of Agriculture has collected figures from a number of communities, but in the past it has been difficult to keep tab on the improvement that bulls have made in herds. The plan of the Dairy Division now is to get such figures, as far as possible, on cows owned by members in all of the 158 bull associations in the United States.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

## Obituary

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dawes Dyer died at the family home 401 West Thirteenth street Saturday evening. Funeral services were held Sunday and interment took place at the Oakman cemetery Sunday afternoon.

M. Z. Thompson, director of athletics at the Teachers College, has returned from Oklahoma City where he spent a few days attending the state meeting of the teachers association. He also attended to matters connected with his office and concerning the Oklahoma intercollegiate conference.

**Ebey Recommended**  
In his "Just Politics" column of the Holdenville Democrat, Luther Harrison has this to say about the candidacy of W. H. Ebey of Ada for state senator:  
"W. H. Ebey of Ada has announced as a candidate for the state senate his district. Mr. Ebey is an experienced legislator and would make a capital senator from his district. He was representative from Pontotoc county in the seventh legislature and was chief clerk of the house in the second legislature. He is in the insurance business at Ada."

## Sport Calendar of Week Shows String of Feature Events

An excellent bill has been provided for sport fans of Ada this week, consisting of an athletic carnival, six basketball games, two of which are conference games for the Teachers College and probably one or two games by the high school with conference schools.

Monday night: Two games in city league at college gym.  
Tuesday night: Athletic carnival at McSwain theatre, Cooper-Heagle bout being feature. Durant Teachers vs. Ada Teachers at college gym.

Wednesday night: Durant vs. Ada at college gym, second of a series of two conference basketball games.  
Friday night: City league games, Battery F vs. Business College, Ada News vs. High School.

High school proposed games have not yet been announced, but it is expected that the school will be playing again after three weeks' delay on account of smallpox vaccination. Coach Cox reports that his men are beginning to recover from the effects of sore arms and he hopes to have a squad ready for action by the end of the week. He has been playing in the city league with patched up squad.

**An Explanation.**  
Some readers of the News have apparently mistaken the meaning of a sentence appearing in the account of Walter Dodd's case appearing in Saturday's paper. They understand it to mean that the family of the defendant in the deplorable affair is now a charge on Pontotoc county, but such is not the case nor was the story intended to convey such an impression.

## CONFERENCE SUSPENDED UPON THE SOLDIER BONUS

(By the Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Conferences between representatives of the house ways and means committee and the senate finance committee on the soldier bonus proposal were suspended today pending a decision from President Harding on a proposal to finance a cash feature of the bonus by means of bonds instead of taxes.

## NATIONAL GUARD AWAITS DEVELOPMENT IN STRIKE

(By the Associated Press)  
PROVIDENCE, R. I., Feb. 13.—With two troops of national guard cavalry still quartered in the armories here and Governor San Souci standing firm in his decision to act if violence in the Pawtucket valley strike region is resumed, the situation in the textile wage controversy in Rhode Island remained at a deadlock today.

**Notice O. E. S.**  
The efficiency test will be held at the Masonic hall Wednesday, Feb. 15th, beginning at 4:30 p. m. All who desire to take this test are urged to be on time. Bring pen and ink.  
MARGARET PEAY, Secretary.

## BRITISH STOP MOVING OF IRISH CONTINGENT

(By the Associated Press)  
DUBLIN, Feb. 13.—The evacuation of the British troops and other military forces from Dublin was unexpectedly suspended today. The sailing of the steamers due to leave for Holyhead and Liverpool with contingents on board was cancelled. It was thought the suspension might be due to the events in Ulster.

**Exports Drop Low.**  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—Exports in January aggregated \$279,000,000, the lowest in seven months, and amounted to a decrease of about \$15,000,000 from the amount of December.

**Grand Jury Meets Feb. 16**  
OKMULGEE, Feb. 13.—Judge M. L. Bozarth today ordered a grand jury in the district court to be drawn for February 16.  
The jury is to report February 27, under the order issued by Judge Bozarth.

**STIGLER—John H. Shad,** farm demonstration agent for Haskell county, is attempting to develop a frost-proof cabbage for the use of truck growers of this county. One of his demonstrators planted seed in December in an open field and, although the plants still are small, they seem to withstand the cold with considerable hardiness.



## Zestful Gingham

Crisp new Gingham are here. They have Springtime itself in their folds. Never have they been so charming, so satisfying in quality. Colorings, new and developed in patterns that have a big spice of variety, suggest the nicest of Frocks for women, the most winsome of children's apparel.

The charm of the new henna and blue colorings is only one of the Gingham highlights. For lines or checks of black, jade, Etruscan red and other colors combined in innumerable ways are attractive. Just a little contrast color organdy, or a trimming of rick rack braid will be all you will need for a woman's dress. A fine selection at

Our durable Toile du Nord Gingham are what we especially advise for Children's Dresses and Suits. If you have had them before you know they will give splendid service. The new line for Spring includes gay little checks. You will want to select several patterns, they are so pretty.

65c a yard

25c per yard

See the New Spring Silks, Woolens and White Goods

# Stevens-Wilson Co.

## Announcement!

The A. P. Brown Company is moving from their old location on West Main Street to the building formerly occupied by Guest Brothers.

We expect to complete moving today and be in readiness for business Tuesday, February 14th.

# A. P. BROWN CO.

# Boxing Bout Tomorrow Night McSwain Theatre

Seats are going fast-- You'll have to hurry!

# 75c, \$1 and \$1.50

## FARTHER OF 25 NOW TESTIFIES

At Seventy-One Years of Age, "Grandpa" Langendorf Can Handle Our Horses and a 16-inch Lister Plo was Well As He Ever Did.

"Well sir, I don't know what is in Puratone, but I do know it has made a well man of me. At seventy-one, I feel like a young man, believe I can digest raw meat, and only yesterday I plowed all day with four horses and a sixteen inch lister plow."

This amazing statement was made recently in Gwin and Mays Drug Store, Ada, Okla., by Mr. Gilbert Langendorf, a farmer living on Route 1, Ada. "Grandpa," as he is called by his friends, is the father of a remarkable family. He has twenty-two children living out of a family of twenty-five.

"You would wonder even more at this, if you only knew the condition I was in for two years," said

Mr. Langendorf. "I suffered from rheumatism in my shoulders and knees; at times I could scarcely walk of life my arms. I was very nervous; suffered from poor circulation, headaches, dizzy spells and sleepless nights. Every morning I had a bad taste in my mouth, and at times the very sight of food would turn me sick. I lost fifty pounds; had no appetite; the little I ate would lump in by stomach. Ferment, form gas and bloat me, causing shortness of breath and heart flutterings. I was weak and all run down; the least effort would tire me. I tried a number of different medicines, but might as well have taken water, as I got no relief.

"I heard about Mr. Pomeroy and his wonderful Puratone. It will do everything he says it will. On three bottles I have gained fifteen pounds, and am now a well man. My wife and one of my daughters are also taking it, and it is helping them greatly. We will always thank Puratone and praise it every chance we get."

Puratone is sold in Ada by Gwin & Mays Drug Store; Allen, Gwin & Saffarans; Steadman, John Edwards; Stonewall, C. L. Burnett; and leading druggists everywhere. (Adv)

**CHICKASHA**—Chickasha will fight the action of the officials of the Western baseball association in declaring the local franchise forfeited to Ray Winder, manager of the Chickasha team last year, according to a decision reached at a meeting of baseball followers held recently.